

Maryland Planning Commissioners Association 2018 Conference
October 25 - 26, 2018, Draft Program (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)
Holiday Inn, Gaithersburg

Thursday, October 25

8 am	Registration Begins
10 - 1 pm	Concurrent Sessions
A	Planning Commissioners Training Course (Maryland Department of Planning)
B	Open Meetings Act Training (Academy of Excellence)
12 pm	Lunch
1:15 pm	Panel Discussion: 30 years of New Urbanism
2:15 pm	Tours of Kentlands, The Crown, and RIO Washingtonian
6 pm	Dinner & Welcome Reception

Friday, October 26

7:30 am	Registration Begins
8:30 am	Breakfast
8:30 am	Conference Opening (Mayor of Gaithersburg: Jud Ashman)
9:00 am	Concurrent Sessions 1
A	Nuts and Bolts of Being a Planning Commissioner
B	A Better Maryland: The State Development Plan
10:00 am	Break
10:15 am	Concurrent Sessions 2
A	Ethics and Ex Parte Communication
B	Resources for Revitalization and Reinvestment
11:45 am	Luncheon
	With Keynote Speaker TBA
1:30 pm	Annual Meeting
2:00 pm	Break
2:15 pm	General Session: Citizen and Professional Planners: A Vital Partnership
4 pm	Conference Adjourns